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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Alexander KAMYSHNY et al.

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For: **DIAGNOSTIC BEADS FOR THE DETECTION OF BLOOD IN ANIMAL EXCRETA
AND A METHOD FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF**

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the
application:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 9 as follows:

9. (Twice Amended) Diagnostic beads according to claim 1, wherein the binder is a
starch derivative.

REMARKS

The foregoing amendment is submitted to correct the misspelling in claim 9. Entry of this
Amendment is respectfully requested.

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